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Invention: AN IMAGE RECOGNITION-PROCESSING DEVICE AND METHOD USING PATTERN ELEMENTS RESIDING ON A RECORDING MEDIUM						
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## **AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated February 18, 2005 (Paper No. 20050216), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

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